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RED LEDGE FIRE UPDATE JULY 14, 2016

The Red Ledge Fire, located two miles east of Currant Creek is currently 72 acres. Fire behavior is anticipated to be more active as temperatures are expected to increase over the next few days. Fire crews from cooperating agencies continue to strengthen indirect lines and may burn small timber patches to secure the perimeter and to minimize the risk to firefighter safety. Smoke will continue to be visible from surrounding areas.

Expect delays if you are traveling on Forest service road 080 (just below the Currant Creek Dam) as the road will be intermittently closed throughout the day due to fire operations. Off-road vehicles and other recreationists may encounter fire equipment in the area.

Resources include: four 20 person crews, one 10 person wildland fire module, five engines, two water tenders, one fuel tender, and one helicopter.

Further updates will be posted as information is available.

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